

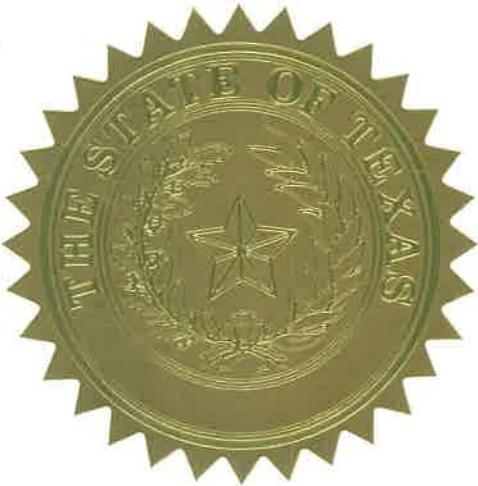
PROCLAMATION
BY THE
Governor of the State of Texas

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 14, of the Texas Constitution, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, do hereby disapprove of and veto House Bill No. 3390 as passed by the Eighty-Fourth Texas Legislature, Regular Session, because of the following objections:

Under current law, it is already a crime for hunters to fire across a property line unless the hunter owns both plots of land or has a written agreement with the property owner on either side of the property line. House Bill 3390 would require expanded agreements that contain more of the hunter's personal information. These new requirements could result in increased prosecution of hunters who are attempting to comply with the law but are not aware the law has changed. There are already severe criminal and civil penalties for the dangerous discharge of a firearm. Increased regulation of hunters is not necessary.

Since the Eighty-Fourth Texas Legislature, Regular Session, by its adjournment has prevented the return of this bill, I am filing these objections in the office of the Secretary of State and giving notice thereof by this public proclamation according to the aforementioned constitutional provision.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have signed my name officially and caused the Seal of the State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this 19th day of June, 2015.


GREG ABBOTT
Governor of Texas

ATTESTED BY:



CARLOS CASCOS
Secretary of State

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE
SECRETARY OF STATE
2pm O'CLOCK

JUN 20 2015